



Friends of Fr. Joseph Aveni



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Fr. Aveni teaches: “Our Love for Mary”

“We must love Jesus through Mary. If we do not love Mary, we do not love Jesus. In order to be Christian, we must be Marian.”

All the Saints had particular love for Mary. St. John Berchmans said: “If I love Mary, I can be sure of my vocation and my perseverance”. We can never love Mary too much. We cannot adore Mary. She is not God. She is our Mother and our Sister. She is the model which every believer must follow. The secret of our perseverance lies in our filial devotion to Mary. We should be devoted to the Holy Rosary. The most concrete form of this devotion is the perfect consecration to Mary... Pope John Paul II said that the Holy Rosary for him is a daily encounter with our Lady. The Holy Rosary is a very powerful weapon against evil. The Church encyclical “Marialis Cultus” calls the rosary the compendium of the entire Gospel. We can pray the Rosary in three ways: (1) By contemplating the mysteries, (2) by reflecting on the words of the Hail Mary, and (2) by looking at Mary. Our whole life should be permeated with the love of Mary. (Excerpt from an Conferences given to the Sisters of Sacred Heart of Ragusa, Merville-Parañaque City)



LET US PRAY FOR...

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* for prayer requests
* for copies of Fr. Aveni's prayer cards...

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TESTIMONIALS

Fr. Aveni through the eyes of those who knew him..

“Love Mama Mary!”

All these years, I would see him holding his Rosary and walking around the Seminary. I told myself that maybe he barely sleeps just to continue praying for all! I even would think that he talks to Mama Mary... Can he see her?” (**Belen Belicena** - Merville, Parañaque)

[Kay Fr. Aveni] “Walang patid ang dalit ng Rosaryo... sa buking liwayway, araw, dapit-hapon at hating gabi. Dinasal ang Santo Rosaryo... isinabuhay ang misteryo ng Santo Rosaryo.” (**Fr. Ariel T.** - Silang)

Dear Fr. Aveni, thank you for being such a shining example of what it is to be “leaven”. In your simple, quiet way, you taught us to love God, to love His will and to love Our Lady. Please pray for us and intercede for us! (**Marie Escueta**- Parañaque)



“When I hear about Fr. Joseph Aveni, it brings to my mind vivid image of a priest who is consistent in praying the rosary, and who loves sacrifices. One time I saw him walking outside of the seminary building with his old walking stick praying the Holy Rosary. I felt inspired to pray for my vocation and for more vocation. “The Harvest is large but there are few workers to gather it in. Pray to the lord of the Harvest that he will send out workers to gather in his harvest”. (Mt. 9:37-38) . (Alran Urmaza - Pangasinan)

PRAYER TO OBTAIN GRACES THROUGH FR. AVENI

God our Father, we give you thanks for the gifts you granted to your priest, Joseph Aveni, configuring him to Jesus, the Master who is gentle and humble of heart. With trusting humility he found in your merciful love the joy of his life, the zeal for the salvation of souls, and the light for his service of spiritual guidance. He loved You in his neighbour and his neighbour in You, and dedicated his life to obtain holy workers particularly to the Asian continent. Glorify, O Father, this zealous priest, for the praise of your Name so that he may be for the Church an effective sign of your Kingdom. Through his intercession, grant light to the young people, health to the sick who turn to him, and to us, grant the grace we long for (*mention your personal intention here*), so that we may also find our joy in fulfilling your Will. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

(With ecclesiastical approval)

Copies of Fr. Aveni's prayer cards are available upon request.

